### IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

In re:	Chapter 11	
Robert Terry Winfree,	Case No. 3:20-01417	
Debtor		
TN Dental Professionals, P.C., and CPF Dental, LLC, d/b/a Marquee Dental Partners,		
Plaintiffs/ Counter-Defendants,		
vs.		
Robert T. Winfree, D.D.S. and Olivia Winfree,	Adv. Proc. No. 3:20-90031	
Defendants/ Counter-Plaintiffs.		
IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS DALLAS DIVISION		
In Re: Subpoena Served On JT Palmer & Associates, LLC	Civil Action No.	

Appendix in Support of Non-Party J.T. Palmer & Associates, LLC's Motion to Quash Subpoena Served by Plaintiffs TN Dental Professionals, P.C. and CPF Dental, LLC and Brief in Support Thereof Non-Party J.T. Palmer & Associates, LLC files this Appendix in Support of its Motion to Quash Subpoena Served by Plaintiffs TN Dental Professionals, P.C. and CPF Dental, LLC and Brief in Support Thereof:

**Appendix Item 1:** The Subpoena, with executed return of service, on file in the

Bankruptcy Court in the Middle District of Tennessee

**Appendix Item 2:** Affidavit of Judith Ann Shea

Exhibit A: The Subpoena served on JT Palmer

Exhibit B: "Customer Agreement"

Exhibit C: Blank "Confidential Report"

Exhibit D: Emails between Judith Ann Shea and Paul Pankiewicz

**Appendix Item 3:** Affidavit of J. Michael McBride.

Exhibit A: "Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel JT Palmer and Associates, LLC

to Produce Documents in Accordance with Subpoena," on file in the Bankruptcy Court in the Middle District of Tennessee.

Respectfully submitted,

By: <u>/s/ Charles W. Fillmore</u> <u>/s/ J. Michael McBride</u>

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

On July 10, 2020, this Motion was served on the following counsel for Plaintiffs TN Dental Professionals, P.C. and CPF Dental, LLC via U.S. Post Office Mail, return receipt requested, 7001 2510 0002 0581 0972:

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/s/ Charles W. Fillmore

# Appendix Item 1

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B2570 (Form 2570 - Subpoena to Produce Documents, Information, or Objects or To Permit Inspection in a Bankruptcy Case or Adversary Proceeding) (12/15)

United States	BANKRUPTCY COURT
Middle	District of Tennessee
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If this subpoena commands the production of documents, electronically stored information, or tangible things, or the inspection of premises before trial, a notice and a copy of this subpoena must be served on each party before it is served on the person to whom it is directed. Fed. R. Civ. P. 45(a)(4).

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1C570 (Form 2870 - Subpoena to Produce Documents, Information, or Objects or To Permit Inspection in a Bankruptcy Case or Adversary Proceeding) (Page 2)

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	Server's signature
	Gary B Cooper
	Printed name and title
	1502 Starlight Ct.
	Granbury, TX 76048 Server's address

Additional information concerning attempted service, etc.:

### Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 45(c), (d), (e), and (g) (Effective 12/1/13) (made applicable in bankruptcy cases by Rule 9016, Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure)

#### (c) Place of compliance.

- (1) For a Trial, Hearing, or Deposition. A subpoena may command a person to attend a trial, hearing, or deposition only as follows:
- (A) within 100 miles of where the person resides, is employed, or regularly transacts business in person; or
- (B) within the state where the person resides, is employed, or regularly transacts business in person, if the person
  - (i) is a party or a party's officer; or
- (ii) is commanded to attend a trial and would not incur substantial expense.
- (2) For Other Discovery. A subpoena may command:
- (A) production of documents, or electronically stored information, or things at a place within 100 miles of where the person resides, is employed, or regularly transacts business in person; and
  - (B) inspection of premises, at the premises to be inspected.

#### (d) Protecting a Person Subject to a Subpoena; Enforcement.

- (1) Avoiding Undue Burden or Expense; Sanctions. A party or attorney responsible for issuing and serving a subpoena must take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on a person subject to the subpoena. The court for the district where compliance is required must enforce this duty and impose an appropriate sanction which may include lost earnings and reasonable attorney's fees on a party or attorney who fails to comply.
- (2) Command to Produce Materials or Permit Inspection.
- (A) Appearance Not Required. A person commanded to produce documents, electronically stored information, or tangible things, or to permit the inspection of premises, need not appear in person at the place of production or inspection unless also commanded to appear for a deposition, hearing, or trial.
- (B) Objections. A person commanded to produce documents or tangible things or to permit inspection may serve on the party or attorney designated in the subpoena a written objection to inspecting, copying, testing or sampling any or all of the materials or to inspecting the premises or to producing electronically stored information in the form or forms requested. The objection must be served before the earlier of the time specified for compliance or 14 days after the subpoena is served. If an objection is made, the following rules apply:
- (i) At any time, on notice to the commanded person, the serving party may move the court for the district where compliance is required for an order compelling production or inspection.
- (ii) These acts may be required only as directed in the order, and the order must protect a person who is neither a party nor a party's officer from significant expense resulting from compliance.
- (3) Quashing or Modifying a Subpoena.
- (A) When Required. On timely motion, the court for the district where compliance is required must quash or modify a subpoena that:
  - (i) fails to allow a reasonable time to comply;
- (ii) requires a person to comply beyond the geographical limits specified in Rule 45(c);
- (iii) requires disclosure of privileged or other protected matter, if no exception or waiver applies; or
  - (iv) subjects a person to undue burden.
- (B) When Permitted. To protect a person subject to or affected by a subpoena, the court for the district where compliance is required may, on motion, quash or modify the subpoena if it requires:
- (i) disclosing a trade secret or other confidential research, development, or commercial information; or

- (ii) disclosing an unretained expert's opinion or information that does not describe specific occurrences in dispute and results from the expert's study that was not requested by a party.
- (C) Specifying Conditions as an Alternative. In the circumstances described in Rule 45(d)(3)(B), the court may, instead of quashing or modifying a subpoena, order appearance or production under specified conditions if the serving party:
- (i) shows a substantial need for the testimony or material that cannot be otherwise met without undue hardship; and
- (ii) ensures that the subpoenaed person will be reasonably compensated.

#### (e) Duties in Responding to a Subpoena.

- (1) Producing Documents or Electronically Stored Information. These procedures apply to producing documents or electronically stored information:
- (A) Documents. A person responding to a subpoena to produce documents must produce them as they are kept in the ordinary course of business or must organize and label them to correspond to the categories in the demand.
- (B) Form for Producing Electronically Stored Information Not Specified. If a subpoena does not specify a form for producing electronically stored information, the person responding must produce it in a form or forms in which it is ordinarily maintained or in a reasonably usable form or forms.
- (C) Electronically Stored Information Produced in Only One Form. The person responding need not produce the same electronically stored information in more than one form.
- (D) Inaccessible Electronically Stored Information. The person responding need not provide discovery of electronically stored information from sources that the person identifies as not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. On motion to compel discovery or for a protective order, the person responding must show that the information is not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. If that showing is made, the court may nonetheless order discovery from such sources if the requesting party shows good cause, considering the limitations of Rule 26(b)(2)(C). The court may specify conditions for the discovery.

#### (2) Claiming Privilege or Protection.

- (A) Information Withheld. A person withholding subpoenaed information under a claim that it is privileged or subject to protection as trial-preparation material must:
  - (i) expressly make the claim; and
- (ii) describe the nature of the withheld documents, communications, or tangible things in a manner that, without revealing information itself privileged or protected, will enable the parties to assess the claim.
- (B) Information Produced. If information produced in response to a subpoena is subject to a claim of privilege or of protection as trial-preparation material, the person making the claim may notify any party that received the information of the claim and the basis for it. After being notified, a party must promptly return, sequester, or destroy the specified information and any copies it has; must not use or disclose the information until the claim is resolved; must take reasonable steps to retrieve the information if the party disclosed it before being notified; and may promptly present the information under seal to the court for the district where compliance is required for a determination of the claim. The person who produced the information must preserve the information until the claim is resolved.
- (g) Contempt. The court for the district where compliance is required and also, after a motion is transferred, the issuing court may hold in contempt a person who, having been served, fails without adequate excuse to obey the subpoena or an order related to it.

For access to subpoena materials, see Fed. R. Civ. P. 45(a) Committee Note (2013)

## EXHIBIT A ATTACHMENT TO SUBPOENA TO JT PALMER AND ASSOCIATES, LLC

TN Dental Professionals, P.C. and CPF Dental, LLC d/b/a Marquee Dental Partners (collectively, "*CPF Dental*"), requests that JT Palmer and Associates, LLC ("*JT Palmer*") produce the requested documents (the "*Requests*") within fourteen (14) days to CPF Dental's counsel, Waller Lansden Dortch & Davis, LLP, 511 Union Street, Suite 2700, Nashville, TN 37219, Attention: Melissa Jones.

### **DEFINITIONS**

- 1. "**Debtor**" refers to Robert T. Winfree, D.D.S., and all partners, agents, employees, officers, directors, attorneys, and other representatives of Debtor acting on Debtor's behalf or purporting to act on Debtor's behalf.
- 2. "**Document**" and "**documentation**" mean each copy, version, or draft (including every copy bearing handwritten or other marks, notations, stamps, or variations), whether sent or received or neither, that embodies or records any thoughts, ideas, concepts, expressions, or communications. The term "document" includes but is not limited to the following:
  - a. all writings (including but not limited to emails, text messages, internet postings, letters, faxes, books, correspondence, telegraphs, telex messages, cables, contracts, mortgages, agreements, notes, drafts, records, minutes of meetings, reports, appraisals, checks, cancelled checks, accounts, statements of accounts, ledgers, ledger entries, book entries, and notices);
  - all audio or visual records (including but not limited to photographs, drawings, sketches, paintings, sculptures, castings, replicas, models, exemplars, samples, video tapes, video discs, video files, audio tapes, audio discs, audio files, and animations);
  - c. all items that combine, incorporate, or associate two or more of the types of documents described above; and
  - d. any other items properly included within the definition of "document" pursuant to applicable rules and law.

The terms "document" and "documents" shall specifically include electronically stored information ("*ESI*") such as, but not limited to, email, text messages, instant messages, any documents created on a computer or other electronic device, any data residing on a storage

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medium, including but not limited to, hard drives (desktop, laptop or external), servers, jump drives, hand held drives, iPhones, iPads, iPods, Blackberries, mobile phones or smart phones, CDs and DVDs, and any sound or tape recording. The requesting party reserves the right to require the producing party to produce any ESI or documents in native format.

The meaning of the words "document" and "documents" also includes voice recordings and reproductions and film impressions of any of the aforementioned writings as well as copies of documents, which are not identical duplicates of the originals and copies of documents of which the originals are not in your possession, custody, or control. In case originals or original non-identical copies are not available, "document" or "documents" includes copies of originals or copies of non-identical copies, as the case may be.

- 3. "Foreign Account" means, collectively (a) any right to payment of a monetary obligation, whether or not earned by performance, (b) without duplication, any "account" (as defined in the UCC), any accounts receivable (whether in the form of payments for services rendered or goods sold, rents, license fees or otherwise), any "health-care-insurance receivables" (as that term is defined in the UCC), any "payment intangibles" (as that term is defined in the UCC) and all other rights to payment and/or reimbursement of every kind and description, whether or not earned by performance, (c) all accounts, "general intangibles" (as that term is defined in the UCC), intellectual property, rights, remedies, guarantees, "supporting obligations" (as that term is defined in the UCC) and security interests in respect of the foregoing, all rights of enforcement and collection, all books and records evidencing or related to the foregoing, and all rights in respect of the foregoing, (d) all information and data compiled or derived by Debtor or Mrs. Winfree or to which Debtor or Mrs. Winfree is entitled in respect of or related to the foregoing, and (e) all proceeds of any of the foregoing, located outside of the United States of America, including, without limitation, accounts held or previously held at the following financial institutions:
  - a. Rothchild & Co BankZollikerstrasse 1818034 Zurich, Switzerland
  - b. Investec Bank6th Floor Fairview Ofce ParkRing Rd Port Elizabeth 6045
  - c. Danske Bank International SA13 Rue Edward Steichen2540 Luxembourg
  - d. HSBC Bank 1391 Guber Road Shanghai, China
  - e. Bradesco Financiamentos R 3 880 St. St. Oeste, Goiania, Brazil

- f. Bank of Greenland Imaneq 33 Postboks 1033 3900 Nuuk
- 4. "Hermitage Investment Group" means, collectively, 11689284 Ltd., a foreign corporation having a registered address at Kemp House 152-160 City Road, London, United Kingdom EC1V 2NX, formerly known as Hermitage Investment Group Ltd. and Hermitage Investment Group, Inc., a for-profit corporation located at 105 Bonnabrook Drive, Suite 105, Hermitage, Tennessee 37076.
  - 5. "Mrs. Winfree" refers to Olivia McMurray Winfree, wife of Debtor.
  - 6. "Ms. Shea" refers to Judy Shea, President of JT Palmer.
- 7. "UCC" means the Uniform Commercial Code of the State of Tennessee or of any other state the laws of which are required to be applied in connection with the perfection of security interests in any Foreign Account.

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Except as otherwise specified, the Definitions and Instructions incorporate by reference the requirements set forth in Fed. R. Civ. P. 45, together with all other applicable rules of procedure and local rules.
  - 2. In construing the Requests, the singular shall include the plural and vice versa.

### REQUESTS FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS

- 1. Any and all Documents evidencing or relating to JT Palmer's or Ms. Shea's search for foreign accounts owned by Debtor or Mrs. Winfree;
- Any and all Documents evidencing or relating to the identity of Hermitage Investment Group used in identifying any Foreign Account;
- 3. Any and all Documents evidencing that the funds in any Foreign Account originated in the United States of America; and

4. Any and all Documents evidencing that any Foreign Account belongs to Debtor and/or Mrs. Winfree.

# Appendix Item 2

### AFFIDAVIT OF JUDITH ANN SHEA

STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF HOOD §

Before me, the undersigned notary, on this day personally appeared Judith Ann Shea, the affiant, a person whose identity is known to me. After I administered an oath to affiant, affiant testified as follow:

- 1. "My name is Judith Ann (Judy) Shea. I am over 18 years of age, of sound mind, and capable of making this affidavit. The facts stated in this affidavit are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct.
  - 2. I reside in Granbury Texas.
- 3. I formed J.T. Palmer and Associates, LLC (JT Palmer) as a Texas Limited Liability Company, and I am the sole member and 100% owner of JT Palmer. JT Palmer's office is in Granbury Texas, which is also where I reside and conduct the business of JT Palmer.
- 4. Neither I nor JT Palmer resides in, is employed in, or regularly transacts business in Tennessee.
- 5. JT Palmer is an information research specialist. JT Palmer is in the business of performing confidential background research for clients who employ JT Palmer to conduct confidential research to discover assets, including foreign bank accounts, that individuals may have hidden or secreted.
- 6. In this case, JT Palmer was hired by private detective Paul Pankiewicz with ROS Consulting, Inc.
- 7. On Friday, June 12, 2020, I received from JT Palmer's registered agent a copy of the Subpoena that is attached hereto as Exhibit A. On Monday June 15, I reached out to LegalShield, a business with which I had contracted to provide legal services for help. I was informed that my LegalShield Representative was the law office of Ross & Matthews. I contacted this law firm and was asked to email *via* their website the Subpoena. I did so. When I did not receive any return correspondence from them, I reached out to them again on Wednesday June 17, 2020. They informed me they did not receive the subpoena. I resent the Subpoena on same day. I received a call from Jack Cameron with Ross & Matthews on Monday, June 22, 2020 telling me that he read the subpoena and I needed to obtain an attorney and that they will send me *via* email a recommendation for an attorney through LegalShield. On Thursday, June 25, 2020 I was sent an email with the contact information for Mr. J. Michael McBride. I immediately tried to contact Mr. McBride and was able to speak to him on Friday, June 26, 2020.
- 8. During this time, including from time I received the Subpoena, I was also dealing with a cancer diagnosis, that ultimately resulted in a surgery to remove the cancer, which took place on July 8, 2020.

AFFIDAVIT OF JUDY SHEA

- 9. Over the years of performing confidential background and information research, I, on behalf of JT Palmer, have developed private patterns, methods, techniques, processes, procedures and programs by which JT Palmer conducts data, or information searches and obtains this information—information that is itself hidden and not readily ascertainable, or discoverable. The private patterns, methods, techniques, processes, procedures and programs that I developed to discover this hidden information are themselves not generally known or readily ascertainable. Moreover, the private methods, techniques, processes, and procedures I have developed also makes use of sources and vendors whose identities are themselves highly confidential. Their identities and information sources are information that JT Palmer carefully guards and does not disclose.
- 10. JT Palmer is the owner of these private patterns, methods, techniques, processes, procedures and programs. As stated above, Ms. Judy Shea is 100% owner of JT Palmer, and she developed these private patterns, methods, techniques, processes, procedures and programs personally for use in the business of JT Palmer.
- 11. JT Palmer does not share or disclose to third parties, including its clients, the private patterns, methods, techniques, processes, procedures and programs it has developed and uses to discover information. In fact, JT Palmer has a process by which it seeks to ensure the information which is discovered through the use of its private patterns, methods, techniques, processes, procedures and programs is kept secret. Specifically, JT Palmer utilizes a "Customer Agreement," which clients sign and which clearly states:

JT Palmer and Associates, LLC's reports contain confidential information and is not to be distributed to anyone other than the intended recipient. Distribution to any other entity in whole or in part is strictly prohibited. This information is for fact finding only and is not admissible in court.

Attached to my affidavit as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of the "Customer Agreement" that Mr. Pankiewicz signed in this matter.

12. Similarly, the report JT Palmer prepares and provides to clients is entitled "CONFIDENTIAL" and clearly states:

This report contains confidential information and is not to be distributed to anyone other than the intended recipient named above. Distribution to any other entity in whole or in part is strictly prohibited. This information is for fact finding only and is not admissible in court.

Attached to my affidavit as Exhibit C is a true and correct copy of a blank confidential report containing this language. The report that JT Palmer prepared and provided to Mr. Pankiewicz is on this same form and contains the same quoted language.

13. Exhibits B and C are part of JT Palmer's efforts to ensure that the private patterns, methods, techniques, processes, procedures and programs themselves are kept secret and confidential.

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- 14. The heart of JT Palmer's business as a confidential information research specialist is its private patterns, methods, techniques, processes, procedures and programs by which it obtains information that is itself hidden and not readily ascertainable, or discoverable. The methods by which JT Palmer finds secreted bank accounts is the very essence of its business.
- 15. Disclosure of the private patterns, methods, techniques, processes, procedures and programs for obtaining that information is vital to JT Palmer's economic existence. If anyone, including JT Palmer's clients (many of which are law firms) could obtain the information sought, there would be no reason to hire JT Palmer to obtain the information. Disclosure of either the information or the private patterns, methods, techniques, processes, procedures and programs by which JT Palmer obtained the information, including JT Palmer's confidential sources and vendors, would enable anyone receiving the information to perform similar data searches, to discovery and utilize JT Palmer's confidential sources and vendors, and thus to destroy JT Palmer's business as a confidential information research specialist.
- 16. JT Palmer has already provided information to Mr. Pankiewicz identifying the foreign bank accounts that JT Palmer discovered in relation to this matter. They are the accounts identified by Plaintiffs in their motion to compel. JT Palmer has no information from which it can confirm that the foreign accounts previously identified belong to the Winfrees other than by accountholder names. JT Palmer communicated this to Mr. Pankiewicz. Attached hereto as Exhibit D is a true and correct copy of the email that I sent on behalf of JT Palmer to Mr. Pankiewicz identifying "possible accounts," based solely on accountholder names, and explaining JT Palmer located no social security numbers on any accounts, the address information for the Winfrees does not match addresses on the accounts, and that JT Palmer could not guarantee that the subject accounts belonged to the Winfrees who were the subject of Mr. Pankiewicz's efforts and hiring of JT Palmer. Also included under Exhibit D is a true and correct copy of Mr. Pankiewicz's response email"

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

By: Quslith an	n Shea
Judith Ann Shea	

Sworn to and subscribed before me by Judy Shea on this 10 day of July, 7000 2020.

JENNIFER LEBLANC Notary Public STATE OF TEXAS ID#12958331-5 My Comm. Exp. Oct. 4, 2021

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

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# Exhibit A

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### Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 45(c), (d), (e), and (g) (Effective 12/1/13) (made applicable in bankruptcy cases by Rule 9016, Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure)

#### (c) Place of compliance.

- (1) For a Trial, Hearing, or Deposition. A subpoena may command a person to attend a trial, hearing, or deposition only as follows:
- (A) within 100 miles of where the person resides, is employed, or regularly transacts business in person; or
- (B) within the state where the person resides, is employed, or regularly transacts business in person, if the person
  - (i) is a party or a party's officer; or
- (ii) is commanded to attend a trial and would not incur substantial expense.
- (2) For Other Discovery. A subpoena may command:
- (A) production of documents, or electronically stored information, or things at a place within 100 miles of where the person resides, is employed, or regularly transacts business in person; and
  - (B) inspection of premises, at the premises to be inspected.

#### (d) Protecting a Person Subject to a Subpoena; Enforcement.

- (1) Avoiding Undue Burden or Expense; Sanctions. A party or attorney responsible for issuing and serving a subpoena must take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on a person subject to the subpoena. The court for the district where compliance is required must enforce this duty and impose an appropriate sanction which may include lost earnings and reasonable attorney's fees on a party or attorney who fails to comply.
- (2) Command to Produce Materials or Permit Inspection.
- (A) Appearance Not Required. A person commanded to produce documents, electronically stored information, or tangible things, or to permit the inspection of premises, need not appear in person at the place of production or inspection unless also commanded to appear for a deposition, hearing, or trial.
- (B) Objections. A person commanded to produce documents or tangible things or to permit inspection may serve on the party or attorney designated in the subpoena a written objection to inspecting, copying, testing or sampling any or all of the materials or to inspecting the premises or to producing electronically stored information in the form or forms requested. The objection must be served before the earlier of the time specified for compliance or 14 days after the subpoena is served. If an objection is made, the following rules apply:
- (i) At any time, on notice to the commanded person, the serving party may move the court for the district where compliance is required for an order compelling production or inspection.
- (ii) These acts may be required only as directed in the order, and the order must protect a person who is neither a party nor a party's officer from significant expense resulting from compliance.
- (3) Quashing or Modifying a Subpoena.
- (A) When Required. On timely motion, the court for the district where compliance is required must quash or modify a subpoena that:
  - (i) fails to allow a reasonable time to comply;
- (ii) requires a person to comply beyond the geographical limits specified in Rule 45(c);
- (iii) requires disclosure of privileged or other protected matter, if no exception or waiver applies; or
  - (iv) subjects a person to undue burden.
- (B) When Permitted. To protect a person subject to or affected by a subpoena, the court for the district where compliance is required may, on motion, quash or modify the subpoena if it requires:
- (i) disclosing a trade secret or other confidential research, development, or commercial information; or

- (ii) disclosing an unretained expert's opinion or information that does not describe specific occurrences in dispute and results from the expert's study that was not requested by a party.
- (C) Specifying Conditions as an Alternative. In the circumstances described in Rule 45(d)(3)(B), the court may, instead of quashing or modifying a subpoena, order appearance or production under specified conditions if the serving party:
- (i) shows a substantial need for the testimony or material that cannot be otherwise met without undue hardship; and
- (ii) ensures that the subpoenaed person will be reasonably compensated.

### (e) Duties in Responding to a Subpoena.

- (1) Producing Documents or Electronically Stored Information. These procedures apply to producing documents or electronically stored information:
- (A) Documents. A person responding to a subpoena to produce documents must produce them as they are kept in the ordinary course of business or must organize and label them to correspond to the categories in the demand.
- (B) Form for Producing Electronically Stored Information Not Specified. If a subpoena does not specify a form for producing electronically stored information, the person responding must produce it in a form or forms in which it is ordinarily maintained or in a reasonably usable form or forms.
- (C) Electronically Stored Information Produced in Only One Form. The person responding need not produce the same electronically stored information in more than one form.
- (D) Inaccessible Electronically Stored Information. The person responding need not provide discovery of electronically stored information from sources that the person identifies as not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. On motion to compel discovery or for a protective order, the person responding must show that the information is not reasonably accessible because of undue burden or cost. If that showing is made, the court may nonetheless order discovery from such sources if the requesting party shows good cause, considering the limitations of Rule 26(b)(2)(C). The court may specify conditions for the discovery.

### (2) Claiming Privilege or Protection.

- (A) Information Withheld. A person withholding subpoenaed information under a claim that it is privileged or subject to protection as trial-preparation material must:
  - (i) expressly make the claim; and
- (ii) describe the nature of the withheld documents, communications, or tangible things in a manner that, without revealing information itself privileged or protected, will enable the parties to assess the claim.
- (B) Information Produced. If information produced in response to a subpoena is subject to a claim of privilege or of protection as trial-preparation material, the person making the claim may notify any party that received the information of the claim and the basis for it. After being notified, a party must promptly return, sequester, or destroy the specified information and any copies it has; must not use or disclose the information until the claim is resolved; must take reasonable steps to retrieve the information if the party disclosed it before being notified; and may promptly present the information under seal to the court for the district where compliance is required for a determination of the claim. The person who produced the information must preserve the information until the claim is resolved.
- (g) Contempt. The court for the district where compliance is required and also, after a motion is transferred, the issuing court – may hold in contempt a person who, having been served, fails without adequate excuse to obey the subpoena or an order related to it.

For access to subpoena materials, see Fed. R. Civ. P. 45(a) Committee Note (2013)

### EXHIBIT A ATTACHMENT TO SUBPOENA TO JT PALMER AND ASSOCIATES, LLC

TN Dental Professionals, P.C. and CPF Dental, LLC d/b/a Marquee Dental Partners (collectively, "CPF Dental"), requests that JT Palmer and Associates, LLC ("JT Palmer") produce the requested documents (the "Requests") within fourteen (14) days to CPF Dental's counsel, Waller Lansden Dortch & Davis, LLP, 511 Union Street, Suite 2700, Nashville, TN 37219, Attention: Melissa Jones.

### **DEFINITIONS**

- 1. "**Debtor**" refers to Robert T. Winfree, D.D.S., and all partners, agents, employees, officers, directors, attorneys, and other representatives of Debtor acting on Debtor's behalf or purporting to act on Debtor's behalf.
- 2. "Document" and "documentation" mean each copy, version, or draft (including every copy bearing handwritten or other marks, notations, stamps, or variations), whether sent or received or neither, that embodies or records any thoughts, ideas, concepts, expressions, or communications. The term "document" includes but is not limited to the following:
  - a. all writings (including but not limited to emails, text messages, internet
    postings, letters, faxes, books, correspondence, telegraphs, telex messages,
    cables, contracts, mortgages, agreements, notes, drafts, records, minutes of
    meetings, reports, appraisals, checks, cancelled checks, accounts, statements of
    accounts, ledgers, ledger entries, book entries, and notices);
  - all audio or visual records (including but not limited to photographs, drawings, sketches, paintings, sculptures, castings, replicas, models, exemplars, samples, video tapes, video discs, video files, audio tapes, audio discs, audio files, and animations);
  - all items that combine, incorporate, or associate two or more of the types of documents described above; and
  - d. any other items properly included within the definition of "document" pursuant to applicable rules and law.

The terms "document" and "documents" shall specifically include electronically stored information ("ESI") such as, but not limited to, email, text messages, instant messages, any documents created on a computer or other electronic device, any data residing on a storage

medium, including but not limited to, hard drives (desktop, laptop or external), servers, jump drives, hand held drives, iPhones, iPads, iPods, Blackberries, mobile phones or smart phones, CDs and DVDs, and any sound or tape recording. The requesting party reserves the right to require the producing party to produce any ESI or documents in native format.

The meaning of the words "document" and "documents" also includes voice recordings and reproductions and film impressions of any of the aforementioned writings as well as copies of documents, which are not identical duplicates of the originals and copies of documents of which the originals are not in your possession, custody, or control. In case originals or original non-identical copies are not available, "document" or "documents" includes copies of originals or copies of non-identical copies, as the case may be.

- 3. "Foreign Account" means, collectively (a) any right to payment of a monetary obligation, whether or not earned by performance, (b) without duplication, any "account" (as defined in the UCC), any accounts receivable (whether in the form of payments for services rendered or goods sold, rents, license fees or otherwise), any "health-care-insurance receivables" (as that term is defined in the UCC) and all other rights to payment and/or reimbursement of every kind and description, whether or not earned by performance, (c) all accounts, "general intangibles" (as that term is defined in the UCC), intellectual property, rights, remedies, guarantees, "supporting obligations" (as that term is defined in the UCC), "letter-of-credit rights" (as that term is defined in the UCC) and security interests in respect of the foregoing, all rights of enforcement and collection, all books and records evidencing or related to the foregoing, and all rights in respect of the foregoing, (d) all information and data compiled or derived by Debtor or Mrs. Winfree or to which Debtor or Mrs. Winfree is entitled in respect of or related to the foregoing, and (e) all proceeds of any of the foregoing, located outside of the United States of America, including, without limitation, accounts held or previously held at the following financial institutions:
  - a. Rothchild & Co Bank
     Zollikerstrasse 181
     8034 Zurich, Switzerland
  - Investec Bank
     6th Floor Fairview Ofce Park
     Ring Rd Port Elizabeth 6045
  - c. Danske Bank International SA 13 Rue Edward Steichen 2540 Luxembourg
  - d. HSBC Bank 1391 Guber Road Shanghai, China
  - e. Bradesco Financiamentos R 3 880 St. St. Oeste, Goiania, Brazil

- f. Bank of Greenland Imaneq 33 Postboks 1033 3900 Nuuk
- 4. "Hermitage Investment Group" means, collectively, 11689284 Ltd., a foreign corporation having a registered address at Kemp House 152-160 City Road, London, United Kingdom EC1V 2NX, formerly known as Hermitage Investment Group Ltd. and Hermitage Investment Group, Inc., a for-profit corporation located at 105 Bonnabrook Drive, Suite 105, Hermitage, Tennessee 37076.
  - 5. "Mrs. Winfree" refers to Olivia McMurray Winfree, wife of Debtor.
  - 6. "Ms. Shea" refers to Judy Shea, President of JT Palmer.
- 7. "UCC" means the Uniform Commercial Code of the State of Tennessee or of any other state the laws of which are required to be applied in connection with the perfection of security interests in any Foreign Account.

### INSTRUCTIONS

- Except as otherwise specified, the Definitions and Instructions incorporate by reference the requirements set forth in Fed. R. Civ. P. 45, together with all other applicable rules of procedure and local rules.
  - 2. In construing the Requests, the singular shall include the plural and vice versa.

### REQUESTS FOR PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS

- Any and all Documents evidencing or relating to JT Palmer's or Ms. Shea's search for foreign accounts owned by Debtor or Mrs. Winfree:
- 2. Any and all Documents evidencing or relating to the identity of Hermitage Investment Group used in identifying any Foreign Account;
- 3. Any and all Documents evidencing that the funds in any Foreign Account originated in the United States of America; and

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4. Any and all Documents evidencing that any Foreign Account belongs to Debtor and/or Mrs. Winfree.

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# Exhibit B

### **Customer Agreement**

By placing this order, and any future orders with JT Palmer and Associates, LLC, I PAUL PANKIEW ICZ , hereby certify that I have permissible Purpose, (as defined by the Fair Credit Reporting Act), for requesting any and all search results, reports, information, service or product.

JT PALMER & ASSOCIATES, LLC is not a consumer reporting agency, and no report, search result, information, service or product purchased from or provided by JT PALMER & ASSOCIATES, LLC constitutes a "consumer report," as defined by the federal Fair Credit Reporting Act, 15 U.S.C. Section 1681 et seq. ("FCRA"). Reports, search results, services, information or products purchased from or provided by JT PALMER & ASSOCIATES, LLC may not be used to determine eligibility for credit, employment, insurance or used for any other purpose governed by the FCRA.

JT Palmer and Associates, LLC's reports contain confidential information and is not to be distributed to anyone other than the intended recipient. Distribution to any other entity in whole or in part is strictly prohibited. This information is for fact finding only and is not admissible in court.

In the event of an omission or other error by JT Palmer and Associates, LLC, I understand that JT Palmer and Associates, LLC and/or its agents shall not be liable and that I agree that I shall not be entitled to any punitive or any other damages as a result of any errors in JT Palmer and Associates, LLC search. I further agree to defend, indemnify and hold harmless JT Palmer and Associates, LLC and/or its agents from any actions, which may arise from the providing of any search information.

POS CONSULTING, INC
Company Name

PAUL PANKIEWICZ
Authorized Name Printed

PRESIDENT
Position

22 APRIL 2019

Date

# Exhibit C

## CONFIDENTIAL REPORT PREPARED FOR

DATE:		
TYPE OF SEARCH:		
TARGET:		
RESULTS:		

This report contains confidential information and is not to be distributed to anyone other than the intended recipient named above. Distribution to any other entity in whole or in part is strictly prohibited. This information is for fact finding only and is not admissible in court.

## Exhibit D

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J.T. Palmer & Associates Mail - Re: Work



Judy Shea <judy@jtpalmerassociates.com>

Re: Work

Judy Shea <Judy@jtpalmerassociates.com> To: paul pankiewicz <ppankiewicz@earthlink.net> Thu, Jan 2, 2020 at 2:20 PM

We have located possible accounts: Switzerland(Rob Winfree) South Africa(Robert Wenfree) Luxembourg (R Winfree)

Possible accounts: Shanghai (O. Winfree) Brazil (Olivia McMurry) Greenland (Olivia Winfree)

No ssn on any accounts.

Address information provided does not match addresses on accounts.

We can obtain the details on accounts but can not quarantee that these are your subjects.

Would you like for us to proceed or no hit?

London(Judy's assistant)

Sincerely,

Judy Shea J.T. Palmer & Associates, LLC 800-808-0078 817-894-3539 Judy@itpalmerassociates.com www.jtpalmerassociates.com NM PI #3295

Member

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Judy Shea <judy@jtpalmerassociates.com>

Re: Work

Paul Pankiewicz <ppankiewicz@earthlink.net> To: Judy Shea <Judy@jtpalmerassociates.com> Thu, Jan 2, 2020 at 2:17 PM

Please proceed. Great work.

Sent from my Verizon Wireless 4G LTE DROID [Quoted text hidden]

# Appendix Item 3

### AFFIDAVIT OF J. MICHAEL MCBRIDE

STATE OF TEXAS §

COUNTY OF TARRANT §

Before me, the undersigned notary, on this day personally appeared J. Michael McBride, the affiant, a person whose identity is known to me. After I administered an oath to affiant, affiant testified as follow:

- 1. "My name is J. Michael McBride. I am over 18 years of age, of sound mind, and capable of making this affidavit. The facts stated in this affidavit are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct.
  - 2. I currently reside in Fort Worth Texas.
- 3. I formed J. Michael McBride, P.C., a Texas Professional Corporation, and I am the sole member and 100% owner of J. Michael McBride, P.C. The office is located in Fort Worth, Texas, which is where business is conducted.
- 4. My firm was engaged by J.T. Palmer & Associates, LLC ("JT Palmer") and Judith Shea on June 29, 2020.
- 5. I contacted the counsel who issued the Subpoena, Melissa Jones of Waller Lansden Dortch & Davis, LLP. I had several conversations with Melissa Jones on June 30<sup>th</sup>, July 1<sup>st</sup> and July 2<sup>nd</sup> seeking an extension of time to reply to the Subpoena or to work out a settlement and to explain why there were much better and easier ways to get the same bank information. From my conversations with Ms. Melissa Jones I was led to believe that an extension would be forthcoming pending the approval of the "partner in charge."
- 6. I was left with the impression that an extension, while not yet allowed by the partner in charge, was imminent.
- 7. After several follow-up calls to Ms. Melissa Jones between June 30 and July 2, I was eventually contacted on the afternoon of July 3 by the "partner in charge," Mr. Ryan K. Cochran. For the first time, I learned that an extension would not be forthcoming and it was Plaintiffs' position that JT Palmer had already missed its compliance deadline and had to respond.
- 8. In my conversation with Mr. Cockran on July 3, he did not mention that on July 2, Plaintiffs had already filed a Motion to Compel in Tennessee, seeking an order from the Tennessee court compelling JT Palmer "to produce documents in accordance with subpoena."
- 9. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of "Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel JT Palmer and Associates, LLC to Produce Documents in Accordance with Subpoena," on file in the bankruptcy court in the Middle District of Tennessee.

10. I first heard of/received Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel JT Palmer and Associates, LLC to Produce Documents in Accordance with Subpoena on July 7, 2020 when it arrived via registered mail."

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

By: \_\_\_\_\_\_ McBride

Sworn to and subscribed before me by J. Michael McBride on this  $10^{40}$  day of  $10^{40}$ 

MICHELLE WILSON
Notary Public, State at TexComm. Expires 07-10-2023
Notary ID 5614114

Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

# Exhibit A

### IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

In re:	) Chapter 11
Robert Terry Winfree,  Debtor.	Case No. 3:20-01417 Judge Randal S. Mashburn
TN Dental Professionals, P.C., and CPF Dental, LLC, d/b/a Marquee Dental Partners,  Plaintiffs/ Counter-Defendants,  vs.	) ) ) ) ) ) ) Adv. Proc. No. 3:20-90031
Robert T. Winfree, D.D.S. and Olivia Winfree,  Defendants/ Counter-Plaintiffs.	) ) )
Defendants/ Counter-Plaintiffs.	)

### PLAINTIFFS' MOTION TO COMPEL JT PALMER AND ASSOCIATES, LLC TO PRODUCE DOCUMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBPOENA

Plaintiff TN Dental Professionals, P.C., and CPF Dental, LLC, d/b/a Marquee Dental Partners (collectively, "CPF Dental") moves the Court for an Order to Compel JT Palmer and Associates, LLC ("JT Palmer"), to provide full and complete responses to CPF Dental's Subpoena to Produce Documents served on JT Palmer on June 11, 2020 (Dkt. No. 23) (the "Subpoena"), pursuant to Rule 45(c)(2) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. As demonstrated below, JT Palmer has failed to produce any and all documents as required in accordance with the Subpoena.

### **BACKGROUND**

Prior to Defendant Robert Terry Winfree filing for bankruptcy relief under Chapter 11 of Title 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code, CPF Dental hired Hodges & Associates, LLC

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("Hodges"), a firm specializing in asset and bank account searches, to (i) confirm that Defendants were providing a complete picture of their finances, and (ii) determine if Defendants possessed additional accounts that had not been disclosed despite repeated Court Orders to do so and representations from Defendants and their counsel that no such accounts existed. Hodges thereafter discovered, through the help of JT Palmer, that Defendants possess at least six (6) undisclosed accounts at various foreign banks in Defendants' names with nearly \$1.5 million contained within them. (See, Affidavit of Dan Hodges, attached hereto as Exhibit A, attesting to Defendants' foreign bank accounts).

After repeated attempts to gain confirmation that the above-mentioned foreign bank accounts in fact relate to Defendants, CPF Dental served the Subpoena on JT Palmer on June 11, 2020, requesting, among other things, production of any and all documentation proving the identity of the account holders in which the alleged foreign bank accounts belong. The pertinent requests to JT Palmer, found in paragraphs 1 through 4 of the Subpoena, state as follows:

- 1. Any and all Documents evidencing or relating to JT Palmer's or Ms. Shea's search for foreign accounts owned by Debtor or Mrs. Winfree;
- 2. Any and all Documents evidencing or relating to the identity of Hermitage Investment Group used in identifying any Foreign Account;
- 3. Any and all Documents evidencing that the funds in any Foreign Account originated in the United States of America; and
- 4. Any and all Documents evidencing that any Foreign Account belongs to Debtor and/or Mrs. Winfree.

JT Palmer's documentation evidencing the process used in order to reveal the existence of the foreign bank accounts will ultimately guide settlement negotiations among CPF Dental and Defendants, and thus is absolutely necessary in order for the parties to move forward.

#### **ARGUMENT**

### JT Palmer Should be Compelled to Provide Documents Requested by the Subpoena

Rule 34(c) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure provides that, in accordance with Rule 45, "a nonparty may be compelled to produce documents." Rule 45(d)(2)(B) provides that if "a person commanded to produce documents" wishes to object to the production, such "objection must be served before the earlier of time specified for compliance or 14 days after the subpoena is served." Fed. R. Civ. P. 45(d)(2)(B). If a party fails to respond to such document request, a party "may move for an order compelling discovery." Fed. R. Civ. P. 37(a)(1); See also Fed. R. Civ. P. 37(a)(3)(B)(iv) (a motion to compel may be made if a party fails to produce documents as requested under Rule 34).

The Subpoena was properly served on JT Palmer on June 11, 2020 in accordance with Rule 45(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. As stated in the subpoena, JT Palmer was required to produce any and all documents related to the requests set forth in the Subpoena no later than fourteen (14) days of service. As of the date of this Motion, JT Palmer has failed to produce any documentation as requested by the Subpoena, and further has failed to file any affidavit or other documentation with this Court attesting, under oath, that it has no documentation to produce.

CPF Dental also certifies that, as required by Rule 37(a)(1) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, it has "in good faith conferred or attempted to confer with [JT Palmer] in an effort to obtain [the discovery] without court action." Numerous phone calls with JT Palmer's counsel were exchanged over the course of the past week, and although JT Palmer, through its counsel, requested CPF Dental to grant it an extension to object to the Subpoena, it was unable to confirm that any grant of an extension would result in JT Palmer producing the documentation requested by the Subpoena. JT Palmer's production pursuant to the Subpoena was due on June 25, 2020.

In order for this case to move forward, whether it is through settlement negotiations or

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through a trial on the merits, confirmation of whether the alleged foreign bank accounts uncovered by JT Palmer in fact relate to the Defendants is critical.

### **CONCLUSION**

For the reasons addressed above, Plaintiffs respectfully request the Court grant this Motion to Compel, and enter the Order attached hereto as **Exhibit B**, ordering JT Palmer to fully produce all documents related to Plaintiffs' requests at set forth in the Subpoena.

Dated: July 2, 2020 WALLER LANSDEN DORTCH & DAVIS, LLP

/s/ Ryan K. Cochran

Ryan K. Cochran (TN 025851) Melissa W. Jones (TN 036559) 511 Union Street, Suite 2700 Nashville, TN 37219

Telephone: (615) 244-6380 Facsimile: (615) 244-6804 ryan.cochran@wallerlaw.com melissa.jones@wallerlaw.com

Attorneys for CPF Dental, LLC d/b/a Marquee Dental Partners and TN Dental Professionals, P.C.

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Motion was served via the Court's electronic filing system, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 2020, and via first class mail on the following business day, as follows:

JT Palmer and Associates, LLC PO Box 1783 Granbury, TX 76048

-and-

J. Michael McBride 6420 Southwest Blvd., Suite 112 Fort Worth, TX 76109

Attorney for JT Palmer and Associates, LLC

/s/ Ryan K. Cochran
Ryan K. Cochran

### **EXHIBIT A**

Affidavit of Dan Hodges

See attached.

### IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

TN DENTAL PROFESSIONALS, P.C. and CPF DENTAL, LLC d/b/a MARQUEE DENTAL PARTNERS,	) ) )	
Plaintiffs,	)	W 5 17
v.	) Case No. 181384-I ) Chancellor Lyle	PN 2
ROBERT T. WINFREE, D.D.S. and OLIVIA WINFREE,	) Jury Demand ) ) )	26 CT. CT.
Defendants.	)	

### AFFIDAVIT OF DAN HODGES

STATE OF TENNESSEE	)
	)
COUNTY OF DAVIDSON	)

- I, Dan Hodges, having been duly sworn, state as follows:
- I am over eighteen years of age, and I make this Affidavit based upon my own personal knowledge.
- I am a partner with Hodges and Associates, LLC, a private investigative company that conducts criminal and civil investigations to include asset searches and permissible bank account searches.
- I was retained to identify assets of Dr. Robert T. Winfree, D.D.S. and Olivia Winfree.

I was able to identify the following accounts that appear to be owned by Robert T. Winfree, DDS:

Rothschild & Co Bank (Zürich, Switzerland) - \$397,500.00

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- Danske Bank Internations (Luexembourg) \$736,500.00
- Investec Asset Management (Port Elizabeth, South Africa) \$77,000.00

I was able to identify the following accounts that appear to be owned by Olivia Winfree.

- HSBC Bank (Shanghai, China) \$215,320.00
- Bradesco Financiamentos (St. Oeste, Goiânia Brazil) \$45,000.00
- Bank of Greenland (Nuuk, Greenland) \$16,000.00

AFFIANT FURTHER SAYETH NOT.

30 DH Dated: January 29, 2020

Dan Hodges

30th DA

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the undersigned notary public, on the 9th day of January, 2020.

STEVE JARRETT

State of Tennessee Notary Public Williamson County

My Comm. Exp 12-12-2020

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 12

12-12-2020

### EXHIBIT B

**Proposed Order** 

### IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

In re:	Chapter 11
Robert Terry Winfree,	Case No. 3:20-01417 Judge Randal S. Mashburn
Debtor. )	Judgo Kandar of Washburn
TN Dental Professionals, P.C., and (CPF Dental, LLC, d/b/a Marquee Dental Partners, )	
Plaintiffs/ Counter-Defendants, )	
vs.	Adv. Proc. No. 3:20-90031
Robert T. Winfree, D.D.S. and Olivia Winfree,	
Defendants/ Counter-Plaintiffs. )	

### ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS' MOTION TO COMPEL JT PALMER AND ASSOCIATES, LLC TO PRODUCE DOCUMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBPOENA

After consideration of *Plaintiffs' Motion to Compel JT Palmer and Associates, LLC to Produce Documents in Accordance with the Subpoena*, the Court finds that Plaintiffs' Motion is well-taken and should be granted as follows:

JT Palmer shall produce any and all documentation related to the requests set forth
in Plaintiffs' Subpoena to JT Palmer to Produce Documents within ten (10) days of entry of this
Order.

Therefore, it is **ORDERED**, **ADJUDGED** and **DECREED**, that the Plaintiffs' Motion is **GRANTED**, as described more fully above.

This Order was Signed and Entered Electronically as Indicated at the Top of the First Page

### APPROVED FOR ENTRY:

/s/ Ryan K. Cochran

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